



# The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

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ONE YEAR - ONE DOLLAR

The world would have had no bis-  
quits this year if it had not been for  
the American farmer.

Spain will send 27,500 more sol-  
diers to Cuba. The insurgents have  
evidently lost no ground yet.

The Robbins Queensware Co., of  
Paducah, made an assignment Mon-  
day. Dull business is given as the  
cause of the failure.

Consul General Lee has been pro-  
viding for 1400 destitute Americans  
in Cuba with the fund appropriated  
by congress for that purpose.

Dr. Hunter announces that he is  
tired of politics. A great many peo-  
ple with his experience would be mo-  
ved by the same tired feeling.

The Todd County Teachers Insti-  
tute passed resolutions opposing the  
use of tobacco by teachers in any  
form. That is not a bad movement.

If it takes a failure of the wheat  
crop in all of the foreign countries to  
restore confidence in this country,  
the old girl has a very slippery hold on  
life.

While the farmers have made their  
hundreds of dollars from the rise in  
the price of wheat, the speculators  
have made their hundreds of thousands.

Mr. H. W. Van Senden, formerly  
private secretary to Secretary Car-  
lisle, is under arrest in Washington,  
charged with embezzlement. Van  
has many friends in Kentucky who  
are loath to believe the charges.

Canfield, who was deposed as clerk  
of the Eddyville prison some weeks  
ago, claimed that he could not be  
turned out without cause, and he car-  
ried his claims to circuit court, and  
Judge Breathitt decided that Can-  
field was still clerk.

Collections are being taken in vari-  
ous cities for funds for the families  
of the miners who are striking for liv-  
ing wages. In the Louisville con-  
tributions we notice \$50 credited to  
the Dispatch, but the Courier-Jour-  
nal, Post and Times are not men-  
tioned.

All the schools in the county will  
open Monday. The public schools  
are the bulwark of the country. The  
perpetuity of the Republic depends  
upon the intelligence and patriotism  
of the people. Keep the children in  
the school; stand by the industrious,  
faithful teacher, and you build upon  
a solid foundation.

The Democratic State Central Com-  
mittee of Pennsylvania met Monday,  
and after a noisy fight declared, by a  
vote of 53 to 20 that Mr. Harrity's  
seat as national committeeman from  
that State was vacant. Mr. Harrity  
was chairman of the National Demo-  
cratic Committee last year and as he  
bolted Bryan the Pennsylvania Dem-  
ocracy are placing him on the shelf.

The Directors of the United States  
mint estimates that two and a half  
millions of gold has come from Alas-  
ka since that bonanza was discovered.  
After all the blasts of all the trumpets,  
the amount of gold to come to the  
country is but little more than  
half of the amount of silver put in  
circulation in one month when silver  
had just half a show at the mints.

"Buck-Jumped," that is, C. W.  
Buck, the boor, who was killed  
for a speech at Cadiz next Monday,  
—the same day that Ollie James was  
to speak there, has canceled his ap-  
pointment. But one conclusion can  
be drawn from this "flying of the  
soop" by Mr. Buck: he has no dispo-  
sition to place his anatomy in proxim-  
ity with the Crittenden buzz saw.

Prof. Blanton Boyd has been em-  
ployed as principal of the school at  
Winona, Graves county. The school  
employs three teachers and will prob-  
ably have to use four this fall. The  
trustees are to be congratulated upon  
the appointment of Prof Boyd to  
take charge of the school. He is one  
of the brightest young men of South-  
ern Kentucky, and as a teacher al-  
ready ranks with the very best.

Mr. J. R. Hindman, the boor, can-  
didate for Clerk of the Court of  
Appeals, has been speaking in the  
First district; his audiences have  
been so small in the old Gibraltar  
that his little faction has no hope of  
getting any votes down this way. It  
is amusing to hear of him proposing  
a joint debate with the Democratic  
nominee. The fight is between the  
Democrats and Republicans; the no-  
minee of one or the other of these  
parties will be the next Clerk of the  
Court of Appeals, and the Courier-  
Journal side shows never was, is not,  
and will not be in the fight, and ev-  
ery one recognizes this fact.

## "APPLES OF SILVER IN FRAMES OF GOLD."

While the Courier-Journal is abusing the advocates of bimetallism, and under the spell of Wall street, is decrying that financial system with all its might and main, the Dispatch is digging into the editorial columns of that paper, and bringing forth gems that sparkle today as they did when written a few years ago, before the old Courier-Journal had fallen a victim to the wiles of the banker's oligarchy. When Capt. James Hindman, who is still for a goldbug speech here today, was Lieut. Governor of Kentucky by the grace of the party he is now fighting, the Courier-Journal was preaching the true doctrine, and there was none to say it nay. Indeed from the governor down, all applauded its expressions of faith. On the 12th day of April, 1886, while Capt. Hindman was Lieutenant Governor, the Courier-Journal printed the following editorial; he raised no objection to it then, what will he say about it today:

The impudent slur is sometimes heard that if the cause of bimetallism has the advantage in numbers, the cause of monometallism has the advan-  
tage in brains.

While the proposition is false, it has a phase of superficial plausibility upon it. The policy is exposed by the single consideration which might be advanced as an extinguisher. The cause of bimetallism is that of the masses of men upon the earth who do the world's labor and work out its products who, by the medium of rent, interest and craft, secure to themselves the greater part of the fruits of the producers' toil. It is the interest of the millions against that of the tens, and as the former have not the leisure, from the exigencies of their position; or, if need be, the means to devote to a very general and profound education, it follows very naturally that the minority, whom they support and enrich, are enabled to maintain a proper personal average of education.

But there has never been and there never will be a case in any popular movement against oppression to which the same impudent sneer is not quite as applicable as to the money question. There is always some caste, or order, or class which has arrogated to itself some special privilege, some peculiar advantage, some power or prerogative in derogation of public rights and interests, and when the popular mass is aroused to proceed against its oppressions, the patriots never have averaged out quite as well in personal education, cultivation or craft as the small minority who have been destroying them. The reasons are so obvious that it is a waste of words to explain it. The Bourbon minority in France had a better personal average of brains than the patriots who overthrew them. The better personal average of brains was with the despots of Charles I., though the numbers were with Cromwell. The personal average of brains in banking and finance was with Biddle and his rotten bank, though the numbers were with President Jackson and Thomas H. Benton.

But there is not lacking illustrious leadership for popular uprising to re-  
capture lost possessions of the public and put down the enemies. The men designed to lead such movements on to victory are magnetized by the generous fire of nobler aspirations than those which could influence the enemies of the common humanity, and they are thus equipped with concentrated moral powers borrowed like their trust of leadership from the great masses who follow them. While their movements may lack something, then, in some of the personal averages of the rank and file, they have the compensating con-  
centration of brain power at the head of the column and all the advantages of both skill or craft and numbers.

As to this money question, the beneficiaries from monometallism are re-  
tired capitalists and creditors—a small part of the population numerically,  
but people of very high average of personal training and cultivation. When  
this small segment of the population conspire to rob all the remainder by cheapening their labor and labor products, it does not mean much as a test  
of the merits of the question to say that the brains and the numbers are on  
the opposite sides.

For, after all, the question is one of common sense, as well as learning, of  
experience, as well as theoretic science. A very plain man could readily per-  
ceive and grasp the bottom principle of Adam Smith's "Wealth of Na-  
tions," that "it is labor instead of gold and silver which is the true measure  
of values." This fact, which is fundamental, is so clear and plain that the  
plowman can understand it as well as the financial expert—so clear, indeed,  
that no one but a knave or a blockhead could dispute or question it. Even  
gold, the fetish of this oligarch cult, is measured by this common standard  
of labor. If it were practicable to mine gold as freely and with as little ex-  
penditure as iron, gold would be worth less than iron, the cost being no  
greater and the utility as an agent and medium of industry being much less.

Twelve years ago, in point of fact, a period of cheaper production of gold  
had lowered it below the parity of silver. Now, while all the world is strug-  
gling for it, the cost of its production as indicated by the fact that the yield  
has fallen off from the maximum more than one third. It costs more labor  
to produce a given quantity. The value has increased proportionately.

These are facts which men know without the training of bank office. Men  
can also learn that it is necessary 25 to 35 per cent. more wheat, or cotton,  
or iron, or sugar, or what not, to bring them in \$50, or \$500, or \$1000, in  
gold or its equivalent, than a few years ago. Labor, therefore, which is the  
cost and the highest test, teaches even plain people that gold has  
been very sharply advanced in value in the disastrous period which has been  
peculiarly occupied by the conspiracy of income-bearing capital against labor  
and producing capital.

To say that it requires 25 to 35 per cent. more labor produce to purchase  
a given sum of gold, or its equivalent, is to say that the gold power has ac-  
quired that much more sovereignty over the human race. The capacity to  
labor and the endurance of brains and brains have not increased, unfortu-  
nately, in proportion to the rise in gold—to the increase of toll and hardship  
imposed upon men; and consequently this same conspiracy is going a little  
further than a law more merciful than that of monometallism allowed Shylock  
to venture, and is taking away more or less of the life-blood of producers  
with the pound of flesh. And there are other facts which may be learned  
outside the school or bank parlors.

In this issue we announce Mr. C. C. Grassham a candidate for Com-  
monwealth's Attorney. His an-  
nouncement called forth fa-  
vorable comment from almost the  
entire press of the district, and Mr.  
James has received strong assurances  
of support from people all over the  
district. His popularity is not con-  
fined to any particular locality of the  
old Gibraltar, but everywhere his fit-  
ness for this honor is recognized and  
his brave, manly fight for the old  
time Democracy at a critical period  
in the history of the party makes  
him a tower like Saul above his brethren  
in the fight; hence it is natural  
that his name is associated with  
high political honors. While he has  
made no formal announcement of his  
candidacy, it is understood among  
his friends that he will, in due  
time enter the contest, and unless all  
indications fail, he will be an easy  
winner.

Capt. Hindman Jumps the Track.  
Capt. Hindman, the goldbug can-  
didate for Clerk of the Court of Ap-  
peals, was killed for this place Thurs-  
day, and Chairman L. W. Cruse wired  
him asking a division of time with  
Ollie James. Hindman replied, say-  
ing he would let him know Wednesday,  
and yesterday wired that he  
would not meet James but would meet  
Shackelford, his opponent. The Cour-  
ier-Journal has been boasting that  
Hindman would meet and eat up any  
Democrat, but when the pinch came  
he backed down. Hindman is what  
Ed. Carmack would call a mule that  
won't kick; a silly goat that won't  
butt, and a dog that won't bite.

Ollie James had an engagement for  
Lexington Thursday, but said: "I'll  
cancel that; for no Hannacast or gold  
bug can invade my home, preaching  
that treachery and heresy unless I  
give him a red hot reception." But  
Hindman knows of James and knows  
he fights under the black flag, and he  
therefore did not desire to be skinned  
by Crittenden's champion nor to be  
made feel small under the withering  
sarcasm of our Ollie. X. Z.

A Strong Man.

A dispatch from Paducah states  
that Ollie James is a probable can-  
didate for Congress. He declined to  
say that he was a candidate, but it  
is certain that he is looking over the  
field. If James does enter the race  
it will take some tall hustling to  
beat him.—Carlisle County News.

This is the way it strikes the Hop-  
kinsville Kentuckian:  
There is no law to prohibit wheat  
from being made into flour. That's  
why wheat is up. There is a law pro-  
hibiting silver being coined into  
money. That's why silver is down.

## Still in Business.

I have sold my stock of Dry Goods, but still  
have my Furniture Store, and I aim to carry a  
full and complete line of

## Furniture, Coffins, Carpets and Mattings, AND ALL KINDS OF FUNERAL SUPPLIES.

I will give you the lowest prices  
And the best goods always.

COME AND SEE ME AT THE NEW FURNITURE STORE  
WHEN YOU NEED ANYTHING IN MY LINE.

J. H. MORSE.

NUNNS SWITCH,

R. C. WALKER  
L. W. CRUCE

Walker & Cruce,

REAL ESTATE  
AGENTS,

MARION, KENTUCKY.

If you want to buy a farm see us. If you  
want to sell a farm see us.

## Marion Planing Mills

Are prepared to dress all kinds of lumber needed in building,  
make mouldings and frames of all kinds to order. If  
you need siding, ceiling, frames of all kinds, mouldings of  
any pattern, it will pay you to see us before placing your  
order.

We are here to stay and want your trade, and will treat  
you exactly right in every way.

R. N. DORR, Prop.

ant, has been attending to the busi-  
ness of the road, flagging trains, etc.,  
"free gratis for nothing," and since  
the advent of the Gladstone Compa-  
ny the station business at this point  
has more than trebled.

Verify the future outlook for  
Nunns is rosy-hued and altogether  
gladsome.

REMO.

That is What Ollie James Did to a Big  
Audience.

A PLEASING SPEECH.

Hon. Ollie James of Marion spoke  
in Murry Monday according to ap-  
pointment. A large crowd was out  
to hear him. He was in fine form  
and voice and delivered a most plea-  
sing address, completely captivat-  
ing the audience, which was for the most  
part, entirely in sympathy with the  
views of the speaker. He took up  
the arguments of the gold standard  
speakers and completely dissected  
them, one by one. His arraignment  
of the Republican party for the mis-  
management of State affairs was sim-  
ply fearful, but the truth of his state-  
ments can not be challenged. He  
urged unity and solidarity in the coun-  
try and judicial races. Referring to  
the query whether the Democrats  
swallowed the Populists or the Popu-  
lists the Democrats, he begged leave  
to state that we n't not be bothered  
by that. The combination of the  
silver forces would swallow the Re-  
publicans.

His remarks were interspersed with  
humorous illustrations and his occa-  
sional flights of oratory were simply  
grand. He is certainly a brilliant  
young man and would acquit him-  
self with high honors in any place  
within the gift of the people of Ken-  
tucky. He promised to be with us  
again when the campaign com-  
mences and make some speeches over  
the county.—Murphy Ledger.

It is always gratifying to receive  
testimonials for Chamberlain's Colic  
Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy, and  
when the endorsement is from a phy-  
sician it is especially so. "There is  
no more satisfactory or effective rem-  
edy than Chamberlain's Colic, Chole-  
ra and Diarrhea Remedy," writes Dr.  
E. R. Robey, physician and pharma-  
cist, of Oney, Missouri, and as he  
has used the remedy in his own fam-  
ily and sold it in his drug store for 6  
years he should certainly know. At  
Orme's.

District Convention.

The Democratic committeemen of  
Sheridan and Tolu voting precincts  
are hereby called to meet at Tolu on  
Saturday, Sept. 4, 1897, for the pur-  
pose of nominating a candidate for  
magistrate in Hurricane magisterial  
district.

R. E. Flanary.

Ch. Sheridan Precinct.

Ch. Tolu Precinct.

A CARD.

To the Voters of Crittenden County:

I am a candidate for re-election to  
the office of Circuit Court Clerk.  
Deeply grateful to you for what you  
have done for me in the past I earn-  
estly solicit your support again if you  
have used me worthy and competent  
I have used every exertion to di-  
charge the duties of the office with  
credit to myself and satisfaction to  
you. In the discharge of my official  
duty I have made no distinction on  
account of politics, condition or race,  
but have endeavored always to treat  
all men exactly alike.

If re-elected I can only pledge you  
that I will as earnestly and con-  
sciously strive during the next term to  
meet every requirement of the place  
as I have in the past.

T. C. Jameson, Agt.

Stray Mare.

A claybank mare, dark mane and  
tail, medium size, about ten years  
old, came to my house 1½ miles  
north of Marion, Aug. 30. The owner  
can have same by calling and  
paying expenses.

M. V. Ford.

## A Successful Remedy

## FOR HOG CHOLERA HAS BEEN FOUND.

Was given more than two years test  
in various localities before being plac-  
ed on the market.

MARION, KY., Aug. 13, 1897.

This is to certify that I have used the Rex  
Hog Remedy and find it to be all that is re-  
commended.

J. P. REED.

FOR SALE BY  
C. D. JENKINS,  
AT THE LEADER.

Did You Ever

Try Electric Biters as a remedy for  
your troubles? If not, get a bottle  
now and get relief. This medicine  
has been found peculiarly adapted to  
the relief and cure of all female com-  
plaints, exerting a wonderful direct  
influence in giving strength and tone  
to the organs. If you have loss of  
appetite, constipation, headache, faint  
spells, or are nervous, sleepless,  
excitable, melancholy or are troubled  
with dizzy spells, Electric Biters is  
the medicine you need. Health and  
strength are assuredly guaranteed by  
its use. Fifty cents and one dollar at  
Orme's drug store.

## Announcements.

We are authorized to announce

T. J. NUNN

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Don't Give Us Out!

We are Still with You,

# WITH A HOUSE FULL OF GOODS

.....And Anxious to do Business.....

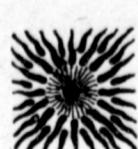
We Have Lots of Summer Goods Which we are Cleaning out Regardless of Cost.

## Our New Clothing Is Coming in Daily

AND YOU CAN BE SUITED IN STYLE AND PRICE.

See Our Goods and get our Prices.

We are full up on Shoes for fall and our Prices never were as low.



Don't take our word for anything, but test it and you'll find it true.

## Pierce-Yandell-Guggenheim Co.

ORATED.

### The Press.

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### LOCAL BREVIETIES.

Mr. Lon Jolly, of Salem, was in town Tuesday.

G. W. Riddle, of Princeton, was in town Friday.

Corn is drying up in many sections for want of rain.

A. J. Crittenden is again in the grocery business.

Mr. Ward Headley, of Princeton, was in town Tuesday.

Rev. T. E. Richey, of Princeton, was in Marion Monday.

Miss Kittie Haynes, of Sullivan spent Sunday in Marion.

Mr. G. G. Hammond has quite a collection of Indian relics.

Mr. Isaac Linley and wife, of Salem, were in town Tuesday.

Messrs. Cam Hill and Joe Heath, of Weston, were in town Tuesday.

Rev. Wills Brown began a meeting at Wilson's Chapel last Tuesday night.

Messrs. J. G. Daniel and H. Y. Thompson, of Cadiz, were in town Friday.

Mr. Will Wooldridge and family returned to their home at Sturgis, Monday.

Mr. Roscoe Boyer, of Harrisburg, Ill., visited his relatives in this section last week.

Mesdames Alex. Utley and James Kennedy, of Livingston county, were in town Tuesday.

Judge Nunn and John L. Gray are making speeches in Livingston county this week.

Mrs Kate Manard, of Louisville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs P. H. Woods of this place.

Mr. Robert Hodges' family returned last week from a visit of several days to friends in Tennessee.

Wallace Bennett has appeared on the market with his fine river bottom melons, and they are fine ones, too.

Mr. John T. Franks and wife and Misses Mattie Henry and Taylor Woodard went to Nashville Tuesday. They expect to remain until Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Clifton was overcome with heat Tuesday while canning fruit, and was in a critical condition several hours. She has now about recovered.

Foha, the tailor has received his new fall goods. Call and see a very pretty line of suiting. The latest styles.

Investigate Dr. Bell's Peppermint Chill Tonic. It leaves no evil after effects, and it will cure chills permanently.

Rev. U. G. Hughes left Clinton, where he will attend college this fall and winter. He is educating himself for efficient service in the ministry.

Have your prescriptions filled at R. F. Hayes' drug store. He has the purest and freshest drugs obtainable, and can not be excelled in accuracy and promptness.

The public are invited to attend opening exercises of school Monday morning next,

All the teachers in Marion graded school will please meet me at school building Saturday evening next at 2 p.m. Chas. Evans.

Miss Nannie Hillyard has accepted a position as principal of a music seminary at Ardmore, I. T. She will leave in a few days to begin her duties.—Henderson Journal.

Mr. F. J. Clement, the well known teacher, writes us that he has the best school in Cook county, Texas. He is a fine teacher and we are glad to see him coming to the front.

Collector Yandell's family left last Tuesday for Owensboro, where they will reside during the next four years Mr. S. W. Adams will occupy the Yandell residence in Marion.

Gertie Carter, little daughter of Mrs. Lizzie Lemon, widow of the late Garland Carter, died Friday, after three weeks illness. The remains were interred at Union cemetery.

Misses Melville Glenn, Annie Fraiser, Carrie Moore, Dodie Clement, and Misses Oliver Hurley, Ed Frazier, Robert Cook and Wm. Clifton, of this place, attended the dedication of the new Baptist church at Caldwell Springs Sunday.

Mr. Charles C. Grassham, the gold standard candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney, was in town last week. He is a most pleasant, affable young gentleman and were he on the right ticket his candidacy might meet with some favor among Democrats.

Mr. Ira Clark, who was hurt at the mill several days ago, is able to be up and on the street. He was hurt at Bigham's flouring mills and not at the saw mill as was first reported. It will be some time before he is entirely well but rapid recovery is certain.

Mr. Jas. W. Cruse, of Cumberland Valley, came up Tuesday to spend a few days with his friends in Marion. He is well pleased with his farm in Livingston county, and says if the river was not between him and Marion there would not be a thing to worry him.

The family of Col. A. D. McAfee have left the Springs for their home near Ford's Ferry. Mrs. McAfee will leave shortly for a month's visit to friends at Indianapolis. She will be accompanied by Miss Stella Thurman, who will remain and attend school in that city.

The policy of Mr. R. N. Doss, who died recently in this city, was paid in full by check yesterday. Mr. Doss was insured for \$2,000 in the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, N. J. This prompt settlement, without rebate, speaks well for this company.

Mrs. Nancy Lanham, widow of the late Thomas Lanham, died at the home of her son, Mr. Geo. Lanham, Friday. While she had been in feeble health a long time, she was not seriously ill, and her death was very sudden and unexpected. She was a very old lady—one of the old landmarks of the county. She had raised a family, passed into a cheery old age, and was biding her time when the summons came.

Nannie Sutcliffe, c. l. died at her home in Marion Friday, of consumption.

### THE SCHOOL

Opens Monday With Everything In Fine Condition for a Successful Term.

All Pupils Should be Present at the Opening.

Next Monday morning the Fourth Term of the Marion Graded Public School opens, and everything portends a most successful term. As the years go by and the work of the school under the able management of Mr. Charles Evans is seen and felt, and not only in the community, but throughout the country, the school grows in popular favor, and the people of Marion take a greater interest in all that effects the institution.

There are no dissensions, nor divisions, nor factions, but the entire community stands behind the school, upholding the hands of the teachers and rejoicing in its progressive history.

When the hour arrives Monday morning, every child in the school age should be in the chapel, books in hand, ready for the work. A great majority of them will be there and need no exhortation, but sometimes there are parents who fail to see the necessity of starting their children the first day, or the first week, and to these the principal desires to appeal. He can organize quicker and more satisfactorily to himself and pupils, and begin the earnest work earlier and with more uniformity if all are on the first day. If a pupil misses the first few days, he starts at a disadvantage, and he will feel licensed perhaps to absent at other days during the term.

With everything in readiness, there should not be a laggard Monday morning. The school belongs to the public, every citizen of the community is a share holder, and if he be a sensible man or woman, no pains will be spared to get every advantage offered, and he or she who fails in this particular is losing money on his own investment.

The teachers this year are as follows:

First and second grades, Miss Ray Woods.

Third and fourth grades, Miss Lillie Cook.

Fifth and sixth grades, E. D. Gray.

Seventh grade, Miss Maggie Moore.

Eighth grade, T. F. Newcomb.

Ninth and tenth grades, Charles Evans.

The Ohio Valley Brass Band has

rented the opera house for a year

The young men propose to manage so as to make something for the band and to have a number of first class entertainments for the people of the town. They will engage only the best talent, that worthy the patronage of the best people. They anticipate some of the best talent on the lecture field, as well as some good opera companies, and musicals will be a special feature.

The house will be repaired and put in first class order and the stage will be fitted up in splendid style. We take pleasure in bespeaking for the young men the patronage of the public.

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### STRUCK OIL.

And is Hopeful of a Big Flow Just Ahead.

Mr. W. D. Wallford, who has been prospecting for minerals and oil on his farm near town for several months, is just passing through an exciting stage of his terrestrial investigations. At a depth of 175 feet he struck oil. Just how much there is he can not tell, but he has found oil and has it on exhibition at his lively store. From a bucket of water a considerable quantity of oil can be taken; a portion of it sinks to the bottom of the bucket, and oil can be skimmed from the top of the water. The well has been sunk 210 feet, and work still goes on. The drill now in operation can go only 225 feet, and our prospector will push along on "his own hook" until he reaches that depth. If he does not strike a fortune by that time, he proposes to organize a stock company, and push his researches onward and downward.

Rev. Couch, who was expected to preach the sermon failed to come and Rev. J. S. Henry ably filled his place in the pulpit, and as he preached the people listened and were edified.

Before the sermon a collection was taken and the amount due on the house was readily subscribed.

Elder W. R. Gibbs is pastor of the church, and he is loved and honored by his people. He is a strong preacher, a devout man, always full of earnestness and zeal, and always a success as a pastor.

An Error.

The Travis reunion will take place on Friday, Sept. 24, instead of the 25th, as printed last week.

Query?

Why are not our own tobacco buyers out in the country looking at the tobacco crop, like the Fredonia boys are doing?

In Crittenden we are digging fine coal, and have it in large quantities; we are exporting spar, and have hills full of it. And now with a prospect for oil, and other things not yet dreamed of, we may head off the Klondike, shut out Hardin county with her gold, and come under the star of the onyx fields. Just keep your eye on us.

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The forenoon was spent in the work.

At noon dinner was spread on

the ground and there was plenty and to spare.

In the afternoon religious services were held and all participated

in the prayers and songs.

An appropriate address was made by "Uncle" Highly Gilbert.

He assisted in digging the first grave at the cemetery,

and has lived to see more than four

hundred other mounds reared in this silent home.

The first grave was made for a Mr. Beal, since then rep-

### CHURCH DEDICATION.

Caldwell Springs Church Dedicated Its Splendid Edifice.

The new church buildings at Caldwell Springs was formally dedicated to the worship of God Sunday.

About 2,000 people attended the dedicatory services. People from four counties were present, and it was a red letter day in the history of the progressive, solid church at that place.

"That community is noted for its peacefulness, industry and moral stability. From a bucket of water a considerable quantity of oil can be taken; a portion of it sinks to the bottom of the bucket, and oil can be skimmed from the top of the water. The well has been sunk 210 feet, and work still goes on. The drill now in operation can go only 225 feet, and our prospector will push along on "his own hook" until he reaches that depth. If he does not strike a fortune by that time, he proposes to organize a stock company, and push his researches onward and downward.

Rev. Couch, who was expected to preach the sermon failed to come and Rev. J. S. Henry ably filled his place in the pulpit, and as he preached the people listened and were edified.

Before the sermon a collection was taken and the amount due on the house was readily subscribed.

Elder W. R. Gibbs is pastor of the church, and he is loved and honored by his people. He is a strong preacher, a devout man, always full of earnestness and zeal, and always a success as a pastor.

An Error.

The Travis reunion will take place on Friday, Sept. 24, instead of the 25th, as printed last week.

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**MOTHER!** There is no word so full of meaning and about which such tender and holy recollections cluster as that of "MOTHER"—she who watched over our helpless infancy and guided our first tottering step. Yet the life of every Expectant Mother is beset with danger and all effort should be made to avoid it, so as nature in the change taking place that the Expectant Mother is enabled to look forward without dread, suffering or gloomy forebodings, to the hour when she experiences the joy of Motherhood. Its use insures safety to the lives of both Mother and Child, and she is found stronger after than before confinement—in short, it "makes Childbirth natural and easy," as so many have said. Don't be persuaded to use anything but

**MOTHER'S FRIEND**

"My wife suffered more in ten minutes with either of her other two children than she did altogether with her last, having previously used four bottles of 'Mother's Friend.' It is a blessing to any one expecting to be a mother." —*Mother's Friend*, a customer.

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Of Druggists at \$1.00, or sent by mail on receipt of price. Write for book containing testimonies and valuable information for all Mothers, free.

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It is not generally known that more adults die of Kidney trouble than any other disease. When the first symptoms of this disease appear, no time should be lost in taking Foley's Kidney Cure, which is guaranteed or money refunded.

**Children Play When They Don't**  
have the dolls. When they do have the dolls, they don't feel like playing—father doesn't like—mother likes work when they have to care for chilidren. It's a worry for a big worry, to say nothing of the danger.  
**Dr. Bell's Peppermint Chill Tonic**  
Cure the Chills. A tonic to-day will keep the chill off to-morrow. It removes the danger—the chills are forgotten and the children are at play. Father's and mother's are a pleasure. Children have a pleasure. The children have a pleasure.

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**FINANCIAL STATEMENT.**

[CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE]

Watson, Sallie, for roadway 50 00  
Worley, J D coffin for Mrs Turley 6 00  
Woodall, C C lumber and rd wk 6 00  
Wilson, Chas G 2 d p and t on rd 3 00  
Yandal, J H shf Nov elec '96 2 00  
Yandal, J A Jdg Nov elec '96 2 00  
Younger, T w 5 d p and t on rd 7 50  
Yates, S S 2 d p and t on road 3 00  
Younger, R A 1 1/2 d p and t on road 2 25

Total, \$8,220 00

To which add deficit shown  
by last report this sum \$4,550  
Estimated interest, 425

Total debt, \$13,195 00

**RESOURCES.**

County levy made for year 1897  
estimated to net 8,700

Surplus in the hands of sheriff  
from levy of 1896 this sum 2,000

Surplus estimated from 1897 levy 1,000

Total resources \$11,700 00

Leaving a deficit of 2,495 00  
(which deficit includes the remainder  
of the county bonds). There is yet outstanding 11 county bonds amounting to \$5,500, and when the sheriff applies the surplus in his hands from levy for 1896, will leave only \$3,500, from which due date estimated surplus from levy made for 1897 will leave only \$2,495 of said bonded interest debt unpaid.

All of which is reported

D. WOODS, Co. Clerk.

**NEW SALEM.**

Health generally good.

About two thirds of the ground for the '98 wheat crop is broken and there will be an increase of ten per cent of the wheat crop sown if the weather is favorable for plowing and preparing the ground: the high prices for the present crop will be the cause of the increase.

Bro Lowry commenced his protracted meeting at New Salem Saturday before the 4th Sabbath,

Mack Rushing is furnishing music for the New Salem people, while the meeting is in progress.

Miss Mira Stevens opened her school at the Grimes school house on the 16th.

John Bebout and sister, Miss Laura, was visiting in this section last week.

R. C. Walker and Ben Rankin, candidates for Representative, passed through this section last week. Bob was close on Ben's track.

Billy Davenport, of Tolu, came over Saturday to attend the New Salem meeting.

Quite a number of our people attended the services at Salem last week to hear Rev. Ford of the Christian church preach.

The surplus wheat is about all sold in this section, and some of our good neighbors feel quite blue over the loss of 25 cents per bushel on their wheat, but it has always been so.

John Caperton, of Grantsburg, Ill., is visiting his father's family.

The rains on the 14th and 15th helped out the corn crop considerably, still there will be a shortage in the corn crop of 1897.

Our neighborhood is overrun with stock buyers. Everything saleable in the way of cattle are futured at a good figure.

Miss Jennie Clement is progressing nicely with her school at New Salem.

John Pace has bought a part of the old Grimes farm and will build a residence on same.

**Old People.**

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Biters. This medicine does not stimulate, and contains no whisky nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding in the performance of the functions. Electric Biters is an excellent appetizer, and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price 50 cents and \$ per bottle at Orme's drug store.

Who can fail to take advantage of this offer. Send 10 cents to us for a generous trial size or ask your druggist. Ask for Ely's Cream Balm, the most positive catarrh cure. Full size 50c.

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I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since a boy, and I never had a cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Oscar Ostrum, 45 Warren Av Chicago, Ills.

Last summer one of our grand children was sick with a severe bowel trouble," says Mrs. E. G. Gregory, of Fredericktown, Mo. "Our doctor's remedy had failed, then we tried the Chamberlain colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy, which gave speedy relief." For sale at Orme's.

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## HENDERSON ROUTE.

### TIME CARD.

#### GOING EAST.

No. 42. No. 44.

Lv Henderson.... 7:15 A. M. 8:10 P. M.

Ar Louisville.... 12:35 P. M. 7:45 P. M.

#### GOING WEST.

No. 43. No. 45.

Lv Louisville.... 4:50 P. M. 7:37 A. M.

Ar Henderson.... 12:49 A. M. 10:10 P. M.

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#### TIME CARD.

#### SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

DAILY DAILY

No. 1 No. 3

Lv Evansville..... 6:15 A. M. 8:20 P. M.

Ar Henderson..... 7:02 " 5:08 "

" Morganfield..... 7: